

House Calendar No. 11

108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 139

[Report No. 108-34]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5) to improve patient access to health care services and provide improved medical care by reducing the excessive burden the liability system places on the health care delivery system.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 12, 2003

Mr. REYNOLDS, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

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- 1 *Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this resolution
- 2 it shall be in order without intervention of any point of
- 3 order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 5) to improve
- 4 patient access to health care services and provide improved
- 5 medical care by reducing the excessive burden the liability

1 system places on the health care delivery system. The bill
2 shall be considered as read for amendment. In lieu of the
3 amendments recommended by the Committees on the Ju-
4 diciary and on Energy and Commerce now printed in the
5 bill, the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed
6 in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying
7 this resolution shall be considered as adopted. The pre-
8 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the bill,
9 as amended, to final passage without intervening motion
10 except: (1) two hours of debate on the bill, as amended,
11 with 80 minutes equally divided and controlled by the
12 chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee
13 on the Judiciary and 40 minutes equally divided and con-
14 trolled by the chairman and ranking minority member of
15 the Committee on Energy and Commerce; and (2) one mo-
16 tion to recommit with or without instructions.

17 SEC. 2. House Resolution 126 is laid on the table.

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